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F. V. CHESMAN,
Edison Dealer, St. John's.

St. John's as it Strikes the Outport Man.

Lest anyone should think that it is the intention to be severely critical of our only city, let me say at the beginning that there is no desire to do so. I should like to merely set down how the city appears to the man from other parts of this country—at least perhaps it were better to say from my viewpoint—and there is no intention to criticize any more than if one were to describe a friend as tall or short, lean or inclined to look well. The thing that is borne in upon the consciousness at the first visit to Water Street is the deafening racket of the long carts over the cobblestones. In fact conversation is absolutely impossible while these vehicles are passing as one stands on the curb, and remarks to one's neighbor must be shouted at the top of one's voice. Atlantic Avenue, Boston, is the only street I ever heard comparable with its overhead "L." At night the silence, in comparison with the racket of the day, is most remarkable. Of the hundreds of pedestrians who throng Water Street's sidewalks, all but one per cent. are shod with rubber heels, and though the crowds move up and down one hears only the dull beat and swish of rubber heels, against which my outport leather ones (with their nails protruding worn away by the hard pavement) make so much clatter that for very shame I am perforce obliged to stily stick them for a moment in some benighted little mud puddle, to muffle their noisy clatter.

The day I arrived there was much mud everywhere, but it was most surprising to me how quickly it dried, and how soon dust began to blow. Neither dust nor mud are the special prerogative of the city, of course, but are slightly more pronounced here than the average outport. It struck me as a bit of a pity—when I watched the boys so industriously flushing the windows and pavements of Water Street, that this care was all bestowed on a portion of one street and the shops were so neglected. I am not attempting to "teach my grandmother to suck eggs"—you know your own business and needs best. I was under the impression from reading the daily papers that there was much poverty in the city. If it exists, and if the army of unemployed one daily sees bringing the Court House and Colon-



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which they are familiar. They do supply many a little bit of gossip of the city, which you will cherish in the back-tyles of your memory to be repeated to an admiring circle of friends when you get "back home." It's a happy little family, after all. Rather proud because it is a city. Rather touchy if you tread on its pet corns. And so if I have accidentally put my hard leather heels on any of its tender toes, I hope it will be big enough to forgive when I say that it has been quite kind to me, and I enjoy a brief sojourn in its midst very much. Home, James!

—C.V.

Italy's Independence Secured.

On Saturday, June 4, 1859, when Napoleon the Third was Emperor of France, the battle of Magenta was fought in which the French were endeavouring to liberate the Italians in their ancient historic peninsula, that stretches out far into the Mediterranean Sea, from the Austrians of Central Europe, who had taken it and ruled it tyrannically. In their effort the French were assisted by other foreigners, and from a remarkably celebrated one was Marie Edme Patrick Maurice de MacMahon, who was a member of an Irish family but had been born at Sully, in France, on 13th July, 1808, and was educated there for the army. Nevertheless, he had served with the British, because these two were allied against the Russians in the Crimean war, in which MacMahon rose to be a general. In the battle of Magenta he was unexpectedly opposed to the Austrians and defeated them, and therefore was created a Field Marshal of the French army and Duke of Magenta. In 1873 he was elected President of the French Republic, but resigned five years later and retired from political life.

Why Unlucky to Spill Salt.

In ancient times salt was a very scarce and rare commodity and frequently only a very small dish of it was placed on the table. Naturally anyone who spilled this precious commodity felt that he had been very unlucky. Besides, as the ancients regarded salt as an emblem of redemptive power, it was not unnatural that they should have looked upon the spilling of it as an evil omen. The custom of throwing a pinch of the spilled salt over the left shoulder three times to break the "hoodoo" is, clearly a pagan survival of the times when salt was one of the propitiatory offerings made to the evil deities who sent bad luck. De Vinci undoubtedly had in mind the ancient superstition regarding spilled salt when he introduced the overturned salt-seller into his great picture.

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St. Michael's—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service; 6.30, Evening Service.
St. Thomas's—Holy Communion at 7, 8 (Young Men's Corporate) and 12.15; 10, Naval Parade Service; 11, Morning Prayer, preacher, Rev. A. Mayton; 2.45, Sunday School; 6.30, Evening Prayer, preacher, Rev. C. A. Moulton.
St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 12, Holy Communion; 6.30, Evensong.
METHODIST.
Gower Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. E. W. Forbes, B.D.
George Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmison, B.A.
Cochrane Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. Dr. Bond.
Weesley—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

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St. Andrew's—11 and 6.30, Rev. R. T. Power, M.A.

SALVATION ARMY.

S.A. Citadel, New Gower Street—7, Kees Drill; 11, Holiness Meeting; 3, Praise Meeting; 7, Great Salvation meeting, conducted by Colonel and Mrs. Martin and Major Gallaher, assisted by Staff Captain and Mrs. Tilley.

ADVENTIST.

Cooktown Road—6.15, Song Service; 6.30, Preaching, Speaker Evangelist E. B. Manuel.

Bethesda Pentecostal Assembly—193 New Gower St.—11, 3 and 7.
Highway Tabernacle—Hamilton St.—11, 3 and 7.

International Bible Students Association, Victoria Hall—7, subject, "Christ's Kingdom—the desire of all Nations."

NOTES.

The morning subject at Gower St. is "The Transfiguration of Jesus," and a short talk to the children on "Drums and Drummers." Evening subject, "Commendable Ignorance and Hatred." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered after the evening service.

The Cochrane Street Brotherhood will be addressed at 3 p.m. by the Rev. Edwin Moore, of the Gospel Mission.

The George Street Adult Bible Class meets at 2.45. Entrance from Buchanan Street.

Wesley Victoria Class meets at 9.45. Prayer service at 9 a.m.

Mihard's Lumberman's Friend.

Men's Summer Underwear

Cotton Yarn Shirts, bound front, 3 pearl buttons; French collar, neck, curved armholes, ribbed cuffs; Drawers, 3-button, faced front and waistband, double seat, suspender tapes, string back, ribbed ankles; 24 to 44.

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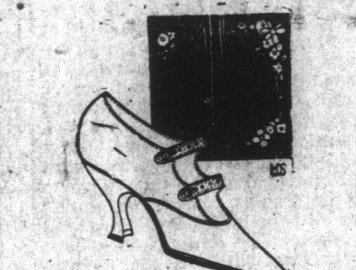
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